

# Prerequisite Advising Worksheet

## Clinical Dietetics, M.S.

### Track A

**2019**  
Application Year

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_ **School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Major:** \_\_\_\_\_ **B.S. degree:** ☐ In-Process ☐ Completed/Date: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Prerequisite courses are waived for students who have a Verification Statement from an ACEND school / program

✓	<b>Prerequisite Courses</b> Courses marked with an "*" require a grade of B- (2.7) or better. Recommend "C" or better in remaining prerequisites.	<b>School</b>	<b>Equivalent Course</b> Subject/Course #	<b>Grade</b>	Date of or anticipated completion
	BIO 120 <b>General Biology I</b>				
	STA 215 <b>Introductory Applied Statistics</b> GV prerequisite: MTH 110				
	BMS 250 <b>Anatomy &amp; Physiology I</b> GV prerequisite: BIO 120				
	BMS 251 <b>Anatomy &amp; Physiology II</b> GV prerequisite: BMS 250 (Option to complete BMS 208, 290 & 291 sequence)				
	CHM 109 <b>Introductory Chemistry</b> or CHM 115 & 116				
	CHM 231 <b>Introductory Organic Chemistry</b> or CHM 241 & 242 GV Prerequisite: CHM 109 or CHM 116				
	*CHM 232 <b>Biological Chemistry</b> or CHM 461 GV Prerequisite: CHM 231				
	BMS 212/213 <b>Microbiology w/ Lab</b> GV Prerequisite: BIO 120 & CHM 230 or 232 or 241 or 245				
	*BMS 310 <b>Basic Pathophysiology</b> GV Prerequisite: BMS 212 and BMS 290 or 251				
	*BMS 311 <b>Pharmacological Aspects of Biomedical Sciences</b> GV Prerequisite: BMS 310				
	BMS 105 <b>Basic Nutrition</b>				
	*BMS 305 or 306 <b>Clinical or Advanced Human Nutrition</b> GV Prerequisite (BMS 305): BMS 290 or BMS 251 and CHM 230 or 232 or 461 GV Prerequisite (BMS 306): BMS 290 or MOV 304 and CHM 232 or 461				
	BMS 404 <b>Community Nutrition</b> (winter only) GV Prerequisite: BMS 105 and Junior Standing				
	BMS 407 <b>Nutrition in the Life Cycle</b> (fall only) GV Prerequisite: BMS 105 or 305 or 306 and BMS 290/291 or BMS 251				
	COM 209 <b>Health Communication Systems</b>				
	HTM 175 <b>International Food &amp; Culture</b>				
	HTM 250 <b>Food Production &amp; Kitchen Management</b> GV Prerequisite: HTM 213 can be waived with override request				
	PSY 310 <b>Behavior Modification</b> GV Prerequisite: PSY 101				
	SOC 288 <b>Sociology of Food</b>				

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## Admission/Application Information

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**Track A** is a 49 to 52 credit coordinated graduate program designed for those who need supervised practice. Classes are taught using the hybrid model, with some Saturday laboratory experiences. Upon successful completion, this program provides eligibility to sit for the registration exam leading to the RDN credentials. **Track A application deadline: January 15<sup>th</sup>** (accepting applications until seats are filled)

### University Requirements

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution of higher education
2. Submission of all required admission materials, including:
  - o Completed GVSU [graduate application](#) for admission
  - o \$30 nonrefundable application fee (unless you have previously applied to Grand Valley)
  - o Official copies of transcripts from all institutions of higher education previously attended. Transcripts must be sent from those institutions directly to the GVSU Admissions Office.  
**NOTE: We do not require official transcripts from Grand Valley**
  - o Test scores from the TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language), or IELTS (International English Language Testing System), or MELAB (Michigan English Language Assessment Battery) for applicants whose native language is not English. Only original score reports will be accepted.

### Program Requirements

In addition to the "University Requirements" above, all students seeking admission must also meet the following program requirements:

1. **Minimum 3.0 grade point cumulative average** from all undergraduate coursework
2. **Personal statement** of career goals and background experiences, including an explanation of how this program will help achieve educational and professional objectives
3. **Two recommendations:** Two academic or professional recommendations. Applicants will provide email addresses of two references when applying ([www.gvsu.edu/gradapply](http://www.gvsu.edu/gradapply)). Recommenders will receive an electronic form to complete and return via email.
4. **Personal interview**
5. **Documentation and evaluation** of community service or work experience in food and nutrition
6. Successful completion of all **prerequisite courses**  
**OR** Verification statement from an ACEND accredited undergraduate program
7. **\*Grade of a B- (2.7) or better** in BMS 305 or 306, BMS 310, BMS 311, and CHEM 232 or 461 or the equivalent courses
8. International Students: **Official transcript credential evaluation** (e.g. WES, ECE)

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